

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
DIVISION

BARRY STEVEN GAHAGAN, 1241926 )  
Plaintiff, )  
 )  
 )  
v. ) Case No. \_\_\_\_\_  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA )  
 )  
Defendant(s). )

MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL  
AND AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT

I, BARRY GAHAGAN, hereby apply for appointment of Counsel. In support of my application I declare under penalty of perjury that the following facts are true:

(1) I am the plaintiff in the above-entitled case and I believe I am entitled to redress.

(2) Because of my poverty, I am unable to pay a reasonable attorney fee.

(3) I have made diligent efforts to obtain legal counsel, but because of my poverty I have been unable to secure same. Following is a description of the efforts I have made:

~~Contacted several attorney's about a contingency fee~~

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on 23<sup>rd</sup> April, 2025.

Sandie C. Redd

